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Fall Announcement.

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Are displaying the largest and most complete stock of

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MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County. }
Macon County Circuit Court.

[illegible] Allyn and Minnie A. Allyn vs. Edith M. Allyn—In Partition. No. 1[illegible]

[illegible]

Decatur, Illinois, October 17th, 1885.
JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon Co., Ill.
[illegible] HARSHBARGER, Sol's for Complainants. oct17 d3w

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY. }
Macon County Circuit Court.

Joseph McDaniel et al. vs. Ezra McDaniel et al.—Partition. No. 1[illegible]

Public notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the September term, A. D. 1885, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery of said court, on

Saturday, the 7th Day of November, A. D. 1885,

at the hour of [illegible] of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder [illegible] the following described real estate situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty seven [illegible] the north forty (40) acres [illegible] the east half of the north west quarter of section twenty four [illegible] and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the south east quarter [illegible] township sixteen [illegible] north [illegible] east of the third principal meridian.

TERMS OF SALE—Ten per cent of purchase price cash on day of sale, the balance in two equal payments in six and twelve months from day of sale, without interest until due, at eight per cent thereafter, to be secured by note and mortgage on the premises sold and personal security. Said sale will be without redemption and a deed will be made to the purchaser or purchasers on approval of sale by the court.

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JOHN A. BROWN,
Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois.
J. S. P[illegible], Solicitor for Complainants.
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—IN—

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I can show a fine display of home made carpets at my salesroom than can be seen in Central Illinois.

CARPETS MADE TO ORDER

at [illegible] cents per yard and upward, in proportion to amount of chain used.
Rags taken in exchange for carpets.
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LADIES' HAND BOOK—useful and attractive, containing list of prizes for recipes, information about coins, etc., given away by all dealers in medicine, or mailed to any address on receipt of 2c. stamp.

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An Efficient Remedy

In all cases of **Bronchial and Pulmonary Affections** is AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL. As such it is recognized and prescribed by the medical profession, and in many thousands of families, for the past forty years, it has been regarded as an invaluable household remedy. It is a preparation that only requires to be taken in very small quantities, and a few doses of it administered in the early stages of a cold or cough will effect a speedy cure, and may, very possibly, save life. There is no doubt whatever that

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

Has preserved the lives of great numbers of persons, by arresting the development of **Laryngitis, Bronchitis, Pneumonia,** and **Pulmonary Consumption,** and by the cure of these dangerous maladies. It should be kept ready for use in every family where there are children, as it is a medicine far superior to all others in the treatment of **Croup,** the alleviation of **Whooping Cough,** and the cure of **Colds** and **Influenza,** ailments peculiarly incident to childhood and youth. Promptitude in dealing with all diseases of this class is of the utmost importance. The loss of a single day may, in many cases, entail fatal consequences. Do not waste precious time in experimenting with medicines of doubtful efficacy, while the malady is constantly gaining a deeper hold, but take at once the speediest and most certain to cure,

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—AT—

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The French Cutter,

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GREAT REDUCTION on all light weight Goods.

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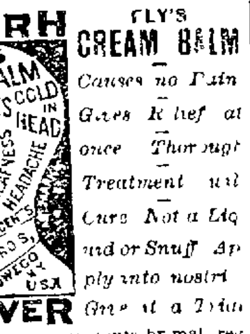

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50 cents at Druggists. 60 cents by mail registered. Send for circular. Sample by mail 10 cents. ELY BROTHERS, Druggists, Owego, N. Y.

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Danzeisen & Son

HAVE OPENED THEIR

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Fresh and Salt Meats,

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WE SELL ONLY THE BEST QUALITY OF MEATS.

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may be found on inquiry at the REPUBLICAN Counting Room.

NEW THROUGH LINE EAST.

On and after Sunday May 10th trains via I. D. & S. R'y will leave Decatur at 11 50 a. m. and 10 50 p. m. Both trains connect at Indianapolis with all lines for the East. The 10 50 p. m. train will have Pullman Sleeping Cars from Decatur through to Columbus, Ohio, via Pan Handle route, arriving at Columbus at 11 10 next morning. This train will also have a Reclining Chair Car from Decatur to Cincinnati without change, arriving at Cincinnati at 8 a. m. Tickets, Berths and Reclining Chairs can be secured at Illinois Central office in depot.

H. W. SHIMER, Ticket Agent.
Or at City Office, 1[illegible] Prairie St., opposite P. O.
C. W. TYNER, General Agent.
JOHN S. LAZARUS,
General Passenger Agent.

May 7—dtf

PANA COAL, both lump and nut—bottom prices—at Caldwell's Coal and Wood Yard. Aug. 26-dtf

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL.

CHAS. LAUX, Proprietor,

South side of the Old Square, Decatur.

Jan.1, 1885—d&w

OF GENERAL INTEREST.

—Hot water at the depth of eight hundred feet has been discovered in an artesian well at Sierra Valley, Cal.

—Fifteen hundred telephone instruments in Buffalo, N. Y., are supplied with electricity made by the water power of Niagara Falls.

—In building the main drainage works in Boston 50 000 000 000 bricks and 180 000 casks of cement were used. The total cost of these works was $5 213 000.

—It is estimated that New Yorkers spend no less than $3,000 000 in summer recreation every year. Of this $1 000 000 goes to Newport and another $1,000 000 to Long Branch.

—England does one third of the banking business of the world. The Bank of England holds one seventeenth of all the deposits of Great Britain. The total amount held is, in round numbers, $27 000,000,000.

—A report of a base ball game says "Larkins knocked Fulton, the new pitcher, all over the field." This must have been an agreeable change for the umpire. It is a long lane that has no turn in it.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—Over two thousand business men in New York City have been swindled by a map publisher who went around gathering up five dollar bills and promising to insert pictures of business houses in a map which was never issued.

—An Ohio man paid ninety dollars for a bulldog in Cincinnati and had twenty two bites inflicted on him before he got half way home. This satisfied him that he ought to have taken a poodle, and the bulldog was put under the ground.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—Big tassels were put by a Memphis woman on the ears of her horse, and broad ribbon bow on his tail in order to decorate him to her satisfaction for a constitutional ride, but he liked the adornment so little that he ran away and threw her off, nearly killing her.

—One of the best colored barbers in Philadelphia is said to be a colored woman who works in her husband's shop. She is an octoroon with large black eyes, and she has a pleasant smile for all her customers. She keeps her razors in the very best condition and has many regular customers.

—The worthlessness of the murderer may be the only plea made by a Wyoming lawyer in defense of his client who had deliberately shot a bar room bully for merely annoying him. The Judge said that the argument was unsound in law, but the jury let it justify to their minds a verdict of acquittal.

—A joy for the thousands who see and the thousands who buy the fabric mentioned herewith appears. Alpaca goats have been discovered in Asia Minor whose hair excels that of the South American alpaca, and a very silky, soft alpaca fibre results from its manufacture.—*Philadelphia Pre*[illegible]

—A Vancouver schoolma'am visited Portland, Oregon, some time since to have some dental work done. She acted so queerly after taking some chloroform that she was accused of being insane, and was held in confinement for a considerable period as a lunatic until she could prove the facts in the case.

—A few days ago Mrs. J. W. Maddox, of Wilkes County, Georgia, found a silver thimble in the gizzard of a five year old chicken. The thimble was as bright as when it came from the jeweler. The chicken seemed to suffer no inconvenience and was as game as if it had nothing but grit and plenty of it in its gizzard.

—There was submitted to the Commissioner of Indian Affairs a request from a Kiowa Indian studying at Lincoln University, Pennsylvania, to be admitted to citizenship. He was informed in reply that it could be done only by some act of the general Government. The fact that Indians are born in the country does not make them citizens.

—A new food fraud has recently been detected by a French chemist. On examining a sample of preserved tomato he found that it contained but little of that vegetable, the remainder being chiefly composed of carrots and pumpkins colored with some aniline dye. We should think it would be quite as cheap to put up the genuine article.—*N. Y. Examiner.*

The phrase "a wheel within a wheel" undoubtedly had its origin in the Bible. In Ezekiel 1:16 we find the expression "a wheel in the middle of a wheel." The revisers of the Bible have adopted the popular phrase "a wheel within a wheel," whether as a more correct transcript of the original or in deference to the common phrase is known only to themselves.

A Belfast gentleman and wife were riding out one day recently and stopped at a house on North port avenue and asked for a drink of milk. The young lady informed him that they had only skimmed milk, which the gentleman said would do. After drinking the man insisted upon paying for it, but the young lady refused. She finally said: "We want no pay; we give skimmed milk to pigs."—*Belfast Journal.*

—For years Americans have been in the habit when abroad of buying suits of clothes, thereby saving from ten to forty per cent. Now it is said the importation to New York of English made suits on private orders is a big business. The clothes are delivered at the door of the purchaser, who is put to no trouble at the custom house, and the price is generally two thirds that charged by American tailors. An agent takes the measure and satisfaction is guaranteed.—*Boston Transcript.*

—"Sing a Song of Sixpence" is as old as the sixteenth century. "Three Blind Mice" is found in a music book dated 1609. "The Frog and the Mouse" was licensed in 1580. "Three Children Sliding on the Ice" dates from 1633. "London Bridge is Broken Down" is of unfathomed antiquity. "Girls and Boys Come out to Play" is certainly old as the reign of Charles II., as is also "Lucy Locket Lost her Pocket," to the tune of which the American song of "Yankee Doodle" was written. "Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat, Where Have You Been?" is of the age of Queen Bess. "Little Jack Horner" is older than the seventeenth century.

A Fortunate Discovery

A new light is thrown on the subject of Consumption by Dr. Wagner Kemp, discoverer of Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs. A remedy that has proved itself to be a remakable compound. It does its work thoroughly, stopping a hacking cough instantly. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner, No. 14 east side new square. Price 50 cents and $1. *Trial size free. Get one.* b4

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YOUR HEALTH

demands heavy woolen underwear for the season, and as health means wealth, do not delay any longer.

We have the largest and most complete line of

GENTS' UNDERWEAR

ever exhibited in this city. Our prices range from

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up to the very finest imported made.

We guarantee prices as low as any of our competitors, and qualities in many respects superior.

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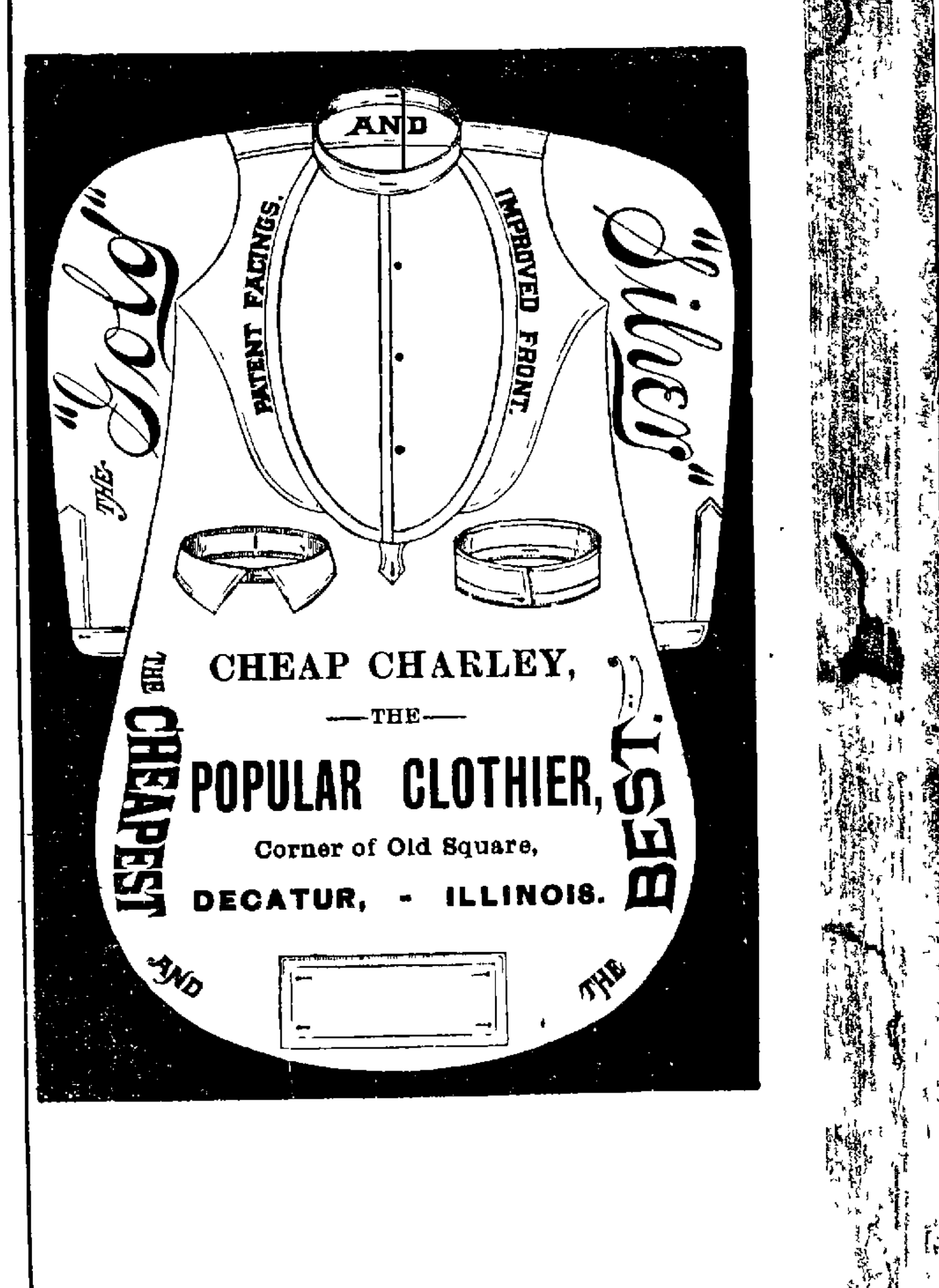
THE RELIABLE CLOTHIER AND GENTS' FURNISHER.

☞ An immense line of Custom-made Overcoats on exhibition now.



TO THE PUBLIC.

We beg to announce that our selections for Fall and Winter are now ready for inspection, and we do not overstate the fact when we say that the stock in every department embraces the choicest fabrics and the most complete and perfect variety. We offer you the best goods, at prices lower than have ever been offered in this market. Compare our stock with that of any house in the city and it will not suffer in any respect by the comparison. Use your best judgment and test the matter according to your own understanding. Disparaging talk or misrepresentation of or about competitors or their goods, proves nothing except the spleen, malignity, or some other low traits in the fellows engaged in it.

Examine our Goods Carefully and Get Our Prices.

WE OFFER YOU SUPERIOR AND

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—IN—

Dress Goods, Silks,

DRESS FLANNELS,

(In all the shades produced),

VELVETS,

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Hosiery, Corsets, Gloves, Shawls, Blankets, Flannels, Etc., Etc., Etc.

IN LADIES', MISSES AND CHILDREN'S

WINTER WRAPS

We show a magnificent line embracing over fifty different styles, and an unusually large stock to select from. In this department we can suit and please everybody. There is not a better selected stock of Ladies', Misses' or Children's

Cloaks, Newmarkets, Circulars, Havelocks or WINTER WRAPS,

Of any description, in the central part of the state. We are thoroughly conversant with this branch of our business, and understand the wants of the public in every detail.

BIG 18 CHEAP STORE.

Merchant Street.

J. MORITZ & CO.

COME FOR THEM QUICK!

We have just received from a large Eastern Manufacturer, at a great bargain, a large lot of

Ladies' and Children's Muslin Underwear,

Drawers, Chemises, Night Gowns, Aprons, &c.,

And to dispose of them quick, we propose to give the Ladies of this place bargains never before offered in such goods. We will sell the entire lot at the uniform price of

25 CENTS.

THE LOT NOW INCLUDES

- Ladies' Night Gowns, ruffled necks.
- Ladies' Walking Skirts, 6 in. flounce, full size.
- Ladies' Chemises, felled seams, tucked and trimmed.
- Ladies' Drawers, tucked, ruffled and trimmed.
- Ladies' Corset Covers, perfect fitting, pearl buttons, trimmed with torchon and Hamburg.
- Ladies' Large White Aprons, with tucks and long strings.
- Children's Drawers, all sizes, some with torchon and Hamburg.
- Infants' Long Slips, cambric, ruffled necks and long sashes.

Also many other Bargains! Don't wait until the last minute, but come early and avoid the rush.

S. G. HATCH & BRO.,

No. 143 East Main Street, Decatur, Illinois.

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EXECUTRIX' SALE

of Thoroughbred and Standard

HORSES!

Belonging to the Estate of the late Samuel Powers. On

THURSDAY, OCT. 29th, 1885,

At the late residence of the Deceased, in Decatur, will be offered for sale

40 Head Thoroughbred and Standard Horses including Stallions, Brood Mares, Colts, Geldings and Fillies, the get of Imported Billet, Aramis, Aristides, Imported St. Mungo, Voltigeur and Volturno. This is by far the finest lot of horses ever offered for sale in this section of country. Also 10 head of High Grade Jersey Cows and Heifers.

Sale to commence at 10 a. m.

TERMS—A credit of nine months will be given, purchaser giving note with approved security. The usual discount for cash.

For Catalogue and full particulars address

T. A. POWERS.

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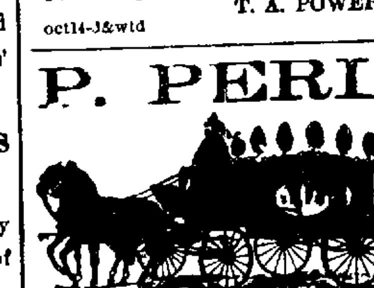

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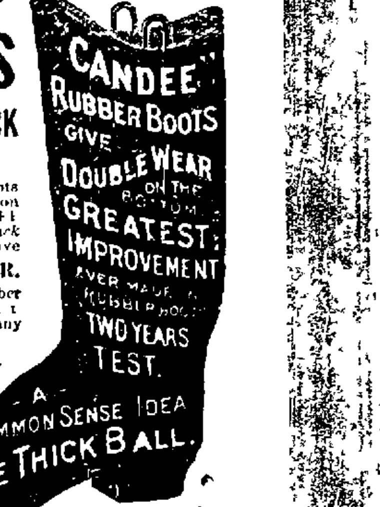
Rubber BOOTS

WITH

DOUBLE THICK BALL.



Ordinary Rubber Boots always wear out first on the ball. The CANDEE Boots are *double thick* on the ball, and give

DOUBLE WEAR.

Most economical Rubber Boot in the market. Lasts longer than any other boot and the

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Call and examine the goods.

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Iritis, Amaurosis, Near-sight and all scrofulous, painful and chronic diseases of the Eye cured without pain. For terms, reference, etc., address,

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DECATUR ILLINOIS

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THURSDAY EVE, OCT 22 1885

THE state revenue commission is still in session in Chicago

THERE has recently been a great boom in the oil market at Pittsburg Yesterday petroleum reached $1 12¼, but declined to $1 11¼ in the afternoon

THE price of steel rails is still advancing, and yesterday's Philadelphia quotations were firm at $30 to $31 Nails advanced 10 cents per keg yesterday

THE Republicans of Cook county yesterday nominated Gwynn Garnett for judge of the superior court, together with a full complement of candidates for county commissioners

THEY must have a good sized farm, according to the following, from the Chicago *Journal*

Mr C B Farwell and Colonel Abner Taylor have returned from visiting their estate in Texas They traveled over 600 miles in a wagon on their own ground, and were a month doing it

FRANK M WHITEHOUSE, of Chicago, a son of the late Bishop Whitehouse, has been nominated by the president for supervising architect of the treasury Mr Whitehouse, it is said, was recommended by both Senators Cullom and Logan

"REPUBLICAN triumph is in the air in this state," writes a well informed public man from New York The Republicans are thoroughly united, while the Democrats are divided into factions which are warring upon each other The signs all point towards the election of Ira Davenport, and it would not be surprising if his majority should reach an enormous figure

A SPECIAL from Crawfordsville, Ind, to the Cincinnati *Enquirer* of Sunday says "About ten days since General Lew Wallace mysteriously disappeared from his home in this city, and to day it is reported he has gone to Turkey Considering his relations with the Sultan while Minister, it is thought his return to Turkey at this time has considerable significance"

HON CHAUNCEY M DEPEW has written a letter to Col Fred D Grant concerning a conversation he once had with Gen Grant, in which the old hero gave him a detailed statement concerning his relations with President Andrew Johnson reflecting quite severely upon the intentions of the latter and now the stenographer of Johnson Col Moore, of New York comes to the front with a denial of the truth of the story, which he says his stenographic notes will show

PEORIA *Transcript* Editor Scott of the Bloomington *Bulletin*, has been appointed a Deputy United States Internal Revenue Collector This will bring joy to the hearts of the editors of the *Pantagraph* and *Leader*, as we understand that Mr Scott was in the habit of chewing them up and spitting them out In fact, he modestly admitted as much In consonance with good Democratic usage and the spirit of reform, Mr Scott takes the place of a one legged veteran. There is nothing so disagreeable to a Democratic ear as the noise made by a wooden leg

THE elevated roads in New York carried an average of over 283,000 passengers per day during the year ending Sept 30, and a total of 103,354,927 during the same period The greatest number carried on any one day was 400,086 The gross receipts for the year ending September 30, 1885, were $7,000,366 88 The total number of passengers carried by these roads from the start in 1872 to September 30, 1885, was 577,820,287, and the gross receipts amounted to $41,076,201 58

THE Indiana Legislature at its last session passed a law limiting the charge for telephones in that State to $3 a month The Indianapolis company continued to charge higher rates, contending that all over $3 was charged, not for the telephone, but for the use of the connections and the service One of the courts has decided that the charge fixed by law covers everything, and the company carries an appeal to the Supreme Court Monopolies always die hard

Poor Pants Cutters

Learn many systems, but Veale, the glove-fitting pants cutter, has just returned from the east with a full line of goods, and lovers of good fitting pants will do well to call on James Veale French Cutter from Cork, Prairie, New Ullrich Block. e301m

And the Greatest of These is Charity

Secure your tickets to the W R C entertainments, and while providing yourselves with a delightful amusement, have the satisfaction of feeling that you are assisting a worthy cause. Should the ladies forget you, or while remembering you not have time to visit you at your business houses, do not forget that you can secure tickets at Curtis & Co s, Dr Blythe's office, or at Durfee Bros dtf

THE Best Black Silks, for the Least Money just received, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

BY TELEGRAPH

THE WIDOW WALKUP.

Progress of the Celebrated Poison Case at Emporia, Kansas.

Evidence Which May Mean Little or Much According to the Standpoint From Which it is Viewed

The Dying Man's Faith in the Pretty Woman He Dearly Loved

EMPORIA KAS, October 22—An unusually large number of ladies were in attendance at the Walkup trial yesterday morning Court opened promptly at 9 40 a m, and Judge Graves cautioned the jury against reading any newspapers while the trial was in progress

The first witness was Waldo Wooster, who is the Under Sheriff Mr Wooster said he was present at the death of Mr Walkup and produced a letter which was given him by Mrs Kinney the day Walkup died

Mrs Fannie Hickey was the next witness She said she was acquainted with Mrs Walkup and had a conversation with her after the death of Mr Walkup The defendant said she had sent a cloak to New Orleans, and Mr Walkup had offered a present of money to her mother, which had been refused In the cross examination the witness said Mrs Walkup exhibited a great deal of emotion during a conversation just previous to Mr Walkup's death, and spoke of taking the best care possible of Mr Walkup during his sickness, and could not see how people could think she could commit such a crime as to kill her husband, that a four year old child would have more sense than to buy poison right here, if it was intended to be put to that use County Attorney Leighan offered a bottle inscribed "poison," with skull and cross bones, as evidence

Alice Carter a colored servant at Mrs Sommers', who lives next door to Mrs Walkup, testified that she heard Mrs Walkup say prior to her husband's death, that bringing and putting a bed on the floor reminded her of laying out some one The witness was cross examined, but nothing further was elicited

Mrs Julia Summers, who is a next-door neighbor to Mrs Walkup, testified that she was present during a conversation on Saturday afternoon, August 16th, 1885, about three o'clock, when Mrs J R Walkup stopped to converse with Mrs Kinney and the witness She said she was going down town to purchase medicine for Mr Walkup She said he had been very sick the night before Witness asked her why she did not call [illegible] the witness She said he would not allow her that she thought of doing so Mrs Kinney and Mrs Summers offered their services and Mrs Walkup thanked them and went down town Witness did not see her when she came back but did a few moments afterward sitting on the porch with a Mother Hubbard on Witness had seen Mr Walkup when he started riding It was more than ten minutes before she met Mrs Walkup She sat on the porch with him just before he started riding It was some time after her return before Mr Walkup returned about at four "On Sunday morning," continued the witness "I learned through my servant girl that Mr Walkup was very sick the night before I sent my daughter over to inquire after his health He was a little better I noticed he was very sick Sunday afternoon the evening after he got into the buggy Later in the same day I had a talk with the defendant who related a dream she had about Lizzie Walkup singing 'Rock of Ages' and dressed in crape Nothing was said about Mr Walkup going to die Cross examined, the witness said that she had seen Mrs Walkup waiting on her husband just as any woman would do when her husband was sick

William Walkup the son of the deceased was then examined He was not living at home when his father died

R P Kelly, recalled from yesterday, testified that Mrs Walkup was in his store on the Sunday preceding Walkup's demise and asked if he would sell her arsenic on Sunday He told her yes if she would sign the record She agreed to do this and asked for twenty cents' worth, which was wrapped up in brown paper and labeled "arsenic—poison" It was given her and she signed the record stating it was to be used as a cosmetic The poison record was shown in evidence Cross examined the witness said the conversation at time of the sale was in an ordinary tone, and there apparently was no secret in the purchase It was not uncommon for arsenic to be used as a cosmetic Witness told Mrs Walkup on Sunday that the powder showed the day previous was strychnine, and she said she had thrown it away or destroyed it

Mr H Bates druggist, recalled from yesterday produced his record signed by Mrs Walkup, August 1 th for a purchase of ten grains of strychnine The purpose was not stated in the book The general rule for the sale of poison was to fill the record complete with the exception of the signature of the purchaser The poison record is open to public inspection

D Wheldon druggist said Mrs Walkup was in his store August 30th, and asked if the purchasers had to state what they wanted the arsenic for He answered in the affirmative She then called for and received twenty five cents worth, stating it was to be used for the complexion She did not sign the record, but took the four ounces of arsenic

Cross examination—Mrs Walkup told him she did not want anybody to know she used arsenic for her complexion

S B Warren saw Walkup on Saturday, August 15th He was feeling quite well at that time and appeared to be in excellent spirits Cross examined—Walkup said nothing about feeling unwell on his return from Topeka

D Bell was the business partner of the deceased in the coal business He saw him on the Saturday preceding his death and noticed nothing that would indicate that he was sick on that day

I Severy certified as to a conversation he had with the deceased on his death-bed, regarding the suspicions that his wife had poisoned him Mr Walkup stating that he had been told his wife procured arsenic from the drug store and his friends suspicioned that she had administered it [illegible]

The deceased said his relations with his wife had been of the most cordial and kindly nature and that he considered it impossible that she could have done as accused Mr Severy told also of his asking Mrs Walkup about the poison, and that she said that none of it had been used, that the package was intact as it came from the drug store and wanted to know if she had not better procure and have it weighed, that he advised her to do, and that she went into the house to procure the poison, and while descending from the porch steps stumbled and dropped the open box containing the poison, spilling the contents over her dress and on the ground

Dr Jacobs was also reached and testified as to the cause of death being arsenical poisoning He was the family physician and the first to throw suspicion on Mrs Walkup

DOWNS DOWNED

A Lively Time in the Tainted Parson's Boston Church

BOSTON, MASS October 22—Parson Downs has been voted out of his church at one of the liveliest church meetings that has ever been held Both factions were present in force and criminations and recriminations were the order of the evening The pastor's wife and his two pretty little girls were present at the beginning of the meeting but the latter were sent home early so as they should not hear the talk A vote was taken as to whether Downs should be asked to resign and resulted 102 in favor and ninety eight against Downs arose and cried "Fraud fraud!" and to settle his mind another vote was taken, resulting 118 in favor and eighty nine against Then Mrs Downs fainted and the parson indulged in a tirade of abuse The meeting broke up while he was talking It is believed he will refuse to resign

THE TURF

Brighton Beach Races

NEW YORK October 22—The races at Brighton Beach yesterday were as follows

First Race—Selling purse of one mile Tunis, first Bahama, second [illegible] Howell third Time 1 48 1 2 Mutuals, $40 [illegible]

Second Race—Selling purse, seven furlongs Lizzie Mack first, Joe S second Woodfl[illegible] third Time 1 [illegible] 3 4 Mutuals $14 [illegible]

Third Race—Handicap for all ages one mile and a furlong Highflight, first Little Dan, second Topsy third Time, 2 42 1 2 Mutuals $48 50

Fourth Race—For maidens of all ages, one and one quarter miles Brie a brac first Billy second Sandoval third Time 2 15 3 4 Mutuals $15 55

Fifth Race—Welter weights three quarters of a mile Leman first Olivette, second Manitoba third Time 1 2 1 4 Mutuals $57 68

Wants Redress

PHILADELPHIA, PA, October 22—Dr Edward Bedloe, of this city went to Washington yesterday to ask Secretary Bayard to interfere in behalf of Sven Britz who was arrested in Alexandria Egypt, two years ago and imprisoned for a long period Sven Britz lived in this city for twelve years and then went to Alexandria While in the Arab hospital in Alexandria in February, 1883 he was arrested accused of the murder of two women at Neolhoff Russia, and taken to Odessa and locked up in a filthy prison, where he endured many hardships Then he was forced to journey afoot to Ghotniff After being imprisoned there he managed to secure his release and returned to Egypt The Russian Government denied him all redress and he now appeals to Secretary Bayard to compel the Russian Government to compensate him for the loss of time and money and the hardships endured by him

Mayor Beaugrand in New York

NEW YORK October 22—Mayor Beaugrand of Montreal is at the Hotel Brunswick Regarding the epidemic of small pox he said yesterday

"I think we are beginning to get the disease under control In a few weeks, I imagine it will cease to have its epidemic form We are accomplishing a great deal by vaccination and isolation We were put to great disadvantage at first by the use of bad virus in vaccination It poisoned many their faces became swollen and of course the natural result was a repulsion against the process of vaccination This led to a spread of the disease

Burying the Dead

NEW YORK, October 22—Carl Henry Gromer, Philippena, his wife, and their two sons, Heinrich and Gustave who were killed in the Hackensack Meadows collision were yesterday morning sent to Battle Creek Mich, for interment The bodies of four other victims were buried by the Commissioners of Emigration on Wards Island after a careful description of each one, for future reference, had been taken Pratt, the operator who is charged with the responsibility of the accident is being held to await the action of the Grand Jury

Culpable Carelessness Costs Five Lives.

CHICAGO ILL October 22—A terrible accident occurred yesterday afternoon while workmen were engaged in raising a two story frame house at 1425 Wabash avenue The supports gave way and the house was precipitated on one side, shattering the walls and fatally injuring five persons They are Mr Dewin Kemball and wife who resided in the house, and three laborers whose names can not be learned

Pacific Mail Dividend

NEW YORK October 22—The Pacific Mail directors have declared a dividend of 1 1 4 per cent for the current quarter The statement of the company shows Gross earning for the quarter ending August 31st $1 12 487 operating expenses $8 8 45[illegible] net earnings, $694 033 cash October 20th $8 2 346 estimated cash November 1st, $90[illegible],486

To be Hanged for Burglary

CHARLOTTE, N C, October 22—In the Criminal Court yesterday two negroes, Nelson Stewart and Anderson Davis who burglarized the residence of S Strickland, were sentenced to be hanged on November 20th

Base Ball

CINCINNATI O October 22 — The champion Chicagos yesterday defeated the home team by a score of five to four.

FREEMAN BROS, 114 Merchant street will sell Boots and Shoes cheaper than any store in Decatur sept24 d1mo

DEATH IN A MINE.

Terrific Explosions of Gas in a Mine at Plymouth Junction, Pa.

Sixteen Men Prostrated, One of Them Killed Outright and Eight Others Fatally Injured.

Heartrending Scenes at the Mouth of the Pit Among Relatives and Friends of the Victims

WILKESBARRE, PA, October 22—A few minutes before eight o clock yesterday morning two successive explosions of gas in No 2 mine of the Delaware & Hudson Company, at Plymouth Junction, startled the people living in the vicinity as well as those who were at work around the mine buildings Flames instantly shot up in the air twenty feet above the fan house There was a loud report, and then for a time all was still The mine in which the accident occurred is about a mile north of Plymouth borough, and three miles from here It has been idle since January but the company had resolved to reopen it, and carpenters and laborers were in the main gangway making the necessary repairs preparatory to the resumption of mining operations next week There were three gangs of men at work, one in each of the three seams

Just before eight o'clock a Polander named Zolinsky went into an unused chamber about three hundred yards from the foot of the shaft carrying a naked lamp Instantly there was a loud explosion and many of the men in the mine were knocked down but no one was burned or seriously injured They soon recovered from the shock and resumed their work Five minutes later a second explosion occurred which was much more serious in its results not only to those in the middle gangway but those in the veins above and below

Superintendent Robert Meyers was in the lower gangway, and was knocked down by the shock Those in the middle gangway however, were the only ones seriously affected Sixteen men were prostrated, one of them being killed outright and eight others certainly fatally injured while it is probable that only two or three out of all the wounded will recover

When the news of the accident spread throughout the valley the excitement became intense and hundreds of persons who had relatives and friends working in the mine flocked to the breaker The women and children of the men who were in the pits set up a wail that was most heartrending

As soon as possible a rescuing party was organized and the injured men were brought out of the mine, all terribly burned but with one exception still living As they were brought to the surface they was an oppressive silence until the condition of the injured men became known and then a weeping and wailing was renewed

The first man brought out by the relief party was Thomas Howard He was burned in the back and terribly scarred about the head and face The others were brought up in the following order Jos Thomas, David Grimes, John Weol, Frank Spitt, Edward Jones John Twisty, Thos Collins Anthony Spitz, John Zitzly, Thos McDermott, J Emifaux, John Kist, Sully J[illegible], John Cobey All these were terribly injured in the middle gangway None of them were able to stand up and one or two were unconscious Dennis Titus was found about two hundred feet away His body was the first brought out Its limbs had three hours after being brought out

At eight o'clock last night Thomas Collins died He was a miner esteemed man and was prominent in local politics It is certain that seven or eight of the other wounded men will die

The Entombed Miners

POTTSVILLE, PA October 22—Andrew Murphy who, with four other miners was entombed by a cave in of the roof of one of the workings on Sharp Mountain last night has not yet been rescued Work by the rescuing parties is being pushed with the utmost dispatch and it is thought Murphy will be brought to the surface some time this evening It is probable that he is still alive

TO HIDE HER SHAME

A Beautiful Young Girl Drowns Herself on the Eve of Her Marriage

BOSTON, MASS, October 22—Much gossip has been caused at West Quincy by the suicide of Miss Louisa Wilson, the pretty eighteen year old daughter of John Wilson, on the eve of her marriage to a young man of excellent reputation Monday afternoon the gentleman called upon her and played a number of pieces on the organ for her which she seemed to enjoy very much The last piece played was by her request a church piece She bade her friend good bye as he departed, and told him to call again After his departure she went up stairs, changed her clothes and wrote the following

"Sister when you find this you will find me drowned in the pond back of the house Louisa"

She came down stairs and said she was going nutting On the arrival home of her father he became alarmed at her disappearance, and a search was made of her room and the note was found The pond was dragged, resulting in the finding of her body about ten o'clock She had jumped into the pond but finding it was too shallow she had climbed out over the rock She next went to a deeper spot, where there was no chance for her to get out, and jumped in where her body was found in about fifteen feet of water Many thought that Miss Wilson was insane, and color was given to this theory by the fact that her mother is in the Taunton Lunatic Asylum An autopsy however disclosed the fact that she was about to become a mother Miss Wilson was exceptionally beautiful and was loved by all who knew her

Governor Elect Foraker Speaks at Jamestown

JAMESTOWN, N Y, October 22—Judge J B Foraker, Governor elect of Ohio, spoke over two hours in Allen's Opera house yesterday afternoon to an audience filling every part of the stage and auditorium, and which represented every town in the immediate region He contrasted the causes which led to the going out of power of the Democratic party twenty-five years ago and the Republican party a year ago He said that the achievements of the Republican party met with universal approbation now, and asserted that had there been a free ballot and an honest count in the South it would still be in power He defended the "bloody shirt" policy He said it was not reviving memories of the war, but was necessitated by occurrences since the conflict, and contrasted it with Fitzhugh Lee's campaign in Virginia The Democrats, he continued, promised to look over the books count the money, and restore the Nation to prosperity The former two promises they had performed, but the latter was unredeemed The country was looking to President Cleveland for his policy If he pronounced for protection the third promise would be performed but free trade would intensify the present depressed condition of business The Governor told a number of stories and his speech was many times interrupted by applause He left at four o clock for Rochester

The Official Returns—An Injunction Applied For and Granted

CINCINNATI, O, October 22—Dianus Watson, on behalf of the Republican Senators, at 4 45 p m yesterday, exploded a bombshell in the canvassing room by notifying Dalton and the magistrates associated with him in canvassing the county returns that he would forthwith apply to Judge Buchwalter for an injunction to prevent the board from canvassing, certifying, etc, Precincts A Ward Four 1, Ward Eighteen, I Ward Nineteen F, Ward Nineteen, and I Ward Nine, and to restrain it from issuing certificates of election to the Democratic candidates for Senator The count was then proceeded with without further incident until six o'clock, when the returning board adjourned until 8 p m After adjournment the petition for a temporary restraining order was heard before Judge Buchwalter, and was granted The petition for a permanent injunction will be heard to day at 10 a m The bondsmen are Thomas Zinck and J I Blackburn

GAS

Preparing to Turn It On in a Reckless Manner!

CINCINNATI, O, October 21—The American Gas Light Association convened its thirteenth annual session at College Hall this morning at ten o clock President Eugene Vanderpool presided The business of the day was hearing of reports of committees, election of new members and reading of an important paper by W H Dennison on the subject of "Natural Gas" Many papers are booked to be read during the session of three days pertaining to the subject of gas manufacture There are about three hundred members, and they are nearly all in attendance Prof C I Chandler, of the Columbia School of Mines, New York is expected to be present

Another Baptist Minister Deposed

MILWAUKEE WIS, October [illegible]—The Rev Enoch Prouty, inventor of the Prouty printing press, has fallen from grace in the Baptist ministry An ecclesiastical council composed of delegates from the Baptist Churches of Beloit Janesville Afton and Oxfordville convened at Beloit Tuesday, and the following charges were preferred against Prouty A lack of business integrity, falsehood description of his family, improper relations with a certain woman formerly a milliner in Beloit These accusations were supported by the strongest evidence and the council recommend that the church drop him from their roll and that he be deposed from the ministry No defense was offered by the defendant

The Conductors Convention

LOUISVILLE KY October [illegible]—The Order of Railway Conductors convened again yesterday morning at half past nine o clock At the roll call delegates out of a possible [illegible] answered to their names The question of the permanent location of the headquarters of the grand division was settled in favor of Chicago This evening the delegates will visit the Exposition [illegible] On Sunday they will leave on an excursion to Mammoth Cave The session will be in session all week The election of officers and the selection of a place of meeting next year will be disposed of Friday or Saturday

NORMAN J HAPPY

The Commissioner of Agriculture Invited to Make a Speech

WASHINGTON, D C, October 22—Commissioner Colman will deliver an address at the Richmond Va, agricultural fair to day when he will meet agriculturists from all parts of the [illegible] The President and Cabinet were also invited to be present but after a discussion of the subject it was deemed judicious to remain away on account of the proximity of the election for State officers in New York

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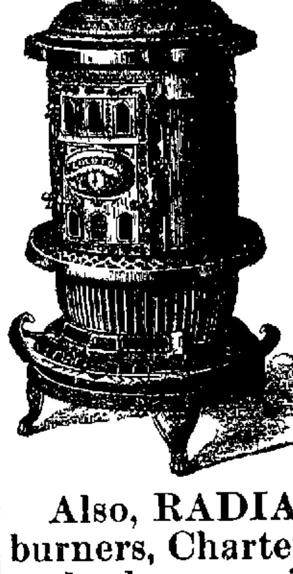

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LOCAL NEWS.

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GRAND Harp Concert to-night. Go.

THE council will meet again Friday night.

SEE the roaring comedy, "Over the Garden Wall," Saturday night.

THE female vagrant, Ann Eskridge, was jailed last night for vagrancy.

BUY a season ticket and go to the Harp Concert to-night.

LAST night the sweet singer of Moultrie, Bill Etheridge, was locked up in the first ward box for vagrancy.

GEO. W. EHRHART has all kinds of wood, nice and dry. oct14-d1mo

RECEPTION to-night in honor of Ed. Dillehunt and bride at the home of the groom's mother.

ORDER Hard Coal of J. W. Baker, at Postoffice Book Store. 22-dtf

THE burial of Edward Whist took place at Greenwood Cemetery this forenoon, the body having arrived on the Central train from the north.

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THE Chatterton-Bohrer concert company is at the St. Nicholas.

G. P. HART, for Upholstery. 21dtf

THE annual fair and festival of Knights of Labor Assembly 2435, will commence at the Tabernacle on Tuesday, Nov. 24th, and will continue three nights, ending on the 26th.

STOP at Hanks & Patterson's and order family groceries and Decatur coal.

CHANDLER, in Perl's block, repairs boots and shoes in elegant style 20-dtf

No Boys' branch meeting of the Y. M. C. A. to-night. Be ready for the Boys' and Girls' sociable next Thursday night.

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THE new meat market near Niedermeyer's, on the Mound, is quite popular.

STAPP'S CHAPEL Sunday school will hold an old-fashioned spelling match and will also have some literary exercises, recitations, music, &c, to-morrow Friday evening. Everybody invited.

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THE Universalist church sociable will be held to-morrow evening at the residence of Read Spencer on West Wood street. The members and friends of the congregation are invited to be present.

TAKE our advice and get a sack of those fresh and delicious crackers at the Steam Bakery before going home.

BUSHER & HUTCHIN make Boots and Shoes. 20-dtf

DECATUR ASSEMBLY No. 2435, Knights of Labor, will give a social ball at the hall over Roach Brothers store, on Thursday, October 29th. Good music will be provided. The dancing public is cordially invited. 22 dtf

CHOICE Corn Husks at G. P. Hart's Upholstery. oct21-dtf

BUSHER & HUTCHIN keep ladies', misses' and children's rubber boots. o20-dtf

THIS is very sad. A southern paper says that "the base ball fever is raging so fiercely among the negroes in Mississippi and other southern states that the cotton picking is neglected, to the loss of the planters."

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THE Hillsboro *News* states that Judge Phillips has put up in his office the old Franklin stove which was first used in the capitol at Vandalia, and afterwards in the capitol at Springfield. All the old worthies, including Lincoln, Yates and Douglas have been warmed by it.

MAKE selections of choice musical instruments at C. B. Prescott's parlor, in opera block. No trouble to show pianos and organs.

PATTERN Made Dresses, that will be sold cheap, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

THE road scraper was out to-day leveling the streets in short order. It is an adjustable affair which does wonderfully quick work, and comes from Mt. Pleasant, Iowa. It will cost $185. The council will be asked to purchase one of the machines. Looks as if it might be a good investment.

BUSHER & HUTCHIN have just received another big invoice of Harry Gray's ladies' fine French kid shoes. They are beauties. o20-dtf

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There was a flood of matrimonial events last night of local interest and all were happy matches.

DILLEHUNT—HAYNES.

Mr. Edward W. Dillehunt, of this city, and Miss Addie Haynes were united in marriage last evening at 8 o'clock at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Haynes, at Terre Haute, Ind., Rev. Mr. Buckles being the officiating minister. The ceremony was witnessed by about 60 relatives and friends. The attendants were Mr. Will Meyers and Miss Laura Brockway, of Decatur. The bride was richly attired in a lavender silk trimmed with oriental lace, and the bridesmaid wore a handsome rose-colored silk with lace trimmings. After the marriage a bountiful wedding repast was served. The bride received a large number of gifts. Mr. Dillehunt and bride arrived in Decatur this morning. This evening they will be given a reception at the home of the groom's mother, Mrs. M. E. Dillehunt on West William street, where the couple will reside.

A DOUBLE WEDDING.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Flip Williams, on North Union street, last evening, at 8:30 o'clock, was witnessed a double wedding, at which Rev. D. E. May was the officiating clergyman. The contracting parties were Mr. D. H. Hughes, son of Edward Hughes, and Miss Jennie Williams, and Mr. Fred. Muzzy, son of Alderman Muzzy, and Miss Mollie Williams, the brides being sisters. Only a few friends were present. Mr. Muzzy is a fireman at the water works, and Mr. Hughes is an employe at Wayne & Anderson's carriage factory.

HUMMELL—KOONTZ.

Last evening, at 8 o'clock, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Zach. Coover, at 1106 North Clayton street, Mr. Charles F. Hummell, of Lincoln, and Miss Blanche Koontz, were united in marriage in the presence of a large company of friends. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. Stevens, pastor of Stapp's Chapel. The parents and sisters of the groom from Lincoln were in attendance. A wedding repast followed the ceremony. Mr. Hummell is now connected with the office of the coal company at Lincoln, where the couple will reside. The REPUBLICAN offers its congratulations.

RICHARDSON—BOHEN.

The marriage of Mr. Thomas H. Richardson and Miss Maggie J. Bohen occurred last evening, at No. 408 East Priest street, in the presence of a large company of guests. The officiating clergyman was Rev. Father Lammert, of the St. James Catholic church. A fine supper followed the congratulations. The bride received a large number of gifts from friends. The groom is in the employ of Henry Archer, of the transfer line, and is well known to business men as a careful and industrious young man.

WHERLY—FERRY.

The marriage of Will H. Wherly, of this city, and Miss Lillie A. Ferry was celebrated last evening at the Congregational church at Washington, D. C., the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. E. J. Ferry, who until a few years ago resided in Decatur. She is now a resident of Washington. Mr. Wherly and bride will soon arrive in Decatur and make their home at 420 East Main street.

The Thomas Orchestra.

The already large advance sale of reserved seats for the Theo. Thomas Orchestra at the Opera House, Monday night, insures a large audience, and we doubt if there will be any left for late comers on the night of the entertainment. It is *the* event of the year, and everybody who is a lover of fine music should go. Side seats will sell at $1.00; gallery, 50 cents. Orders for seats are coming in from neighboring towns—Bement, Clinton, Macon, Maroa, Tuscola, Monticello and other points. Besides the celebrated orchestra of 60 people there will appear two talented vocalists. One is Miss Emma Juch, who began her operatic career in London, with Col. Mapleson's Italian Opera Company. Her voice is developing in strength, fullness and richness constantly, her execution is faultless, her stage presence winning in the extreme, and her personal beauty only a fitting supplement to her rare vocal charms. The tenor is Mr. Albert Paulet, who is well known in musical circles.

THE Athletic association will meet to-morrow evening, October 23d, at the office of Cole & Elsinger, over the National Bank. All members and gentlemen interested are earnestly requested to be present, as business of importance and the selection of a building will be transacted.

That Smokeless Engine.

Frank Bloom, the traveling engineer, was in charge of the Jacksonville accommodation locomotive on Tuesday, when the Barnes and Hurd party took a trip over the road, and Horace Morgan was the conductor. It was a trip to give the party an opportunity of seeing the workings of a smoke-consuming engine. Of the engine the Springfield *Journal* says:

The signal was given, the train moved off, and the company experienced a novelty in railway traveling, that of being rid of the annoyance of smoke and cinders which fly from the locomotive, for engine No. 1575 was equipped with a smoke consumer, the invention of Mr. Barnes, superintendent of machinery and motive power of the Wabash System. The engine is a very handsome one, has an extension boiler, the drive wheels are 5 feet 11 inches in diameter, and she weighs 40 tons. She was built at the shops in Springfield under the personal supervision of Mr. Barnes. The feature of the engine was the smoke-consumer, and that feature is a success. It differs from other inventions of like character for locomotives, in that it not only consumes its own smoke, but that by its application a great saving of fuel is had. This is evidenced by the fact that in making the round trip from Decatur to Jacksonville No. 1575 consumes two tons less coal than other machines of equal weight and power. Whether working up a heavy grade, running either at slow or fast speed, nothing is emitted from the smoke stack but a thin white film, the exhaust steam from the cylinders. During the trip the party were permitted to ride on the engine and the workings of the invention were explained to them, and again at Jacksonville by Mr. Barnes."

A Card.

I desire to thus publicly express my sincere thanks to all kind neighbors and friends for their sympathetic care and assistance during the sickness and death of my beloved wife, Mary; and also to gratefully acknowledge the timely aid of my brother workmen in my hour of need. Their true friendship will never be forgotten. W. H. MCCASLIN.

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We have every grade and quality, every shade and make, English, American, German and French. Cashmeres, combination suitings, plaids, tricot, flannels, etc., etc. Our prices are positively lower than those of any dry goods house in this section of country, and the variety and assortment is full and complete.
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Hanging Lamps.

Greatest variety, finest and cheapest, at Wingate's Lamp Store, Central Block.

The Electric Delay.

A special meeting of the council was called for last night to confirm the action of the gas committee about the purchase of an Electric Light plant for Decatur at a cost of $16,500, but the contract had not returned from Ft. Wayne, and no action could be taken. It is believed by some that the Ft. Wayne company is taking plenty of time to examine the papers before signing them. The agreement drawn out may possibly be considered too favorable for Decatur. The gas committee think it a good one, and would be pleased to have it accepted by the Jenney company. The council will meet again Friday night.

The New Bridge.

A representative of the Indianapolis company that secured the contract to build the new wagon bridge at the Wykoff Ford, at about $6,500, has arrived in the city, and the work will be commenced at once. Commissioners Maffit and Caldwell think the bridge will soon be in condition for use. It is one of the most important bridges in the county, and business men and farmers alike will be glad when it is put in a permanently safe condition, so that farmers can use it in time of the heavy floods that are so frequent in the spring and early summer seasons.

Snowed In.

Yesterday a postal card was received from the hunting party in Michigan stating that they could not leave Waucedah at the time fixed upon on account of the snow. It is not likely that the hunters will reach Decatur for several days.

THE CIRCUIT COURT.

September Term, 1885—Judge Hughes Presiding.

THURSDAY, OCT. 22.

Court convened at the usual hour.

COMMON LAW DOCKET.

The Groen-Manecke $10,000 damage case is still on trial.

In the damage case of M. Cohnert against Niantic, which was previously decided in favor of the town, the plaintiff made a motion to limit witnesses of defendant. Overruled.

Susan Millman vs. Richard Gordon and Emily Ross; trespass; dismissed by agreement at cost of defendants.

CHANCERY DOCKET.

Bridget Dickson vs. Richard Dickson; divorce; decree vacated and leave to complainant to amend bill.

PEOPLE'S DOCKET.

The People vs. Alexander Grattan; personating an officer. The defendant gave bail in the sum of $500; first count in indictment quashed; overruled as to second count; defendant pleaded not guilty as to second count.

People vs. Alexander Grattan; carrying a concealed weapon. Defendant gave bail in sum of $200.

PERSONAL MENTION.

W. H. McCaslin arrived home last night from the South.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Condell left for St. Louis this afternoon on a visit.

Lawyer O. C. Sharp, city attorney of Lincoln, is in the city.

Mrs. Fred. G. Thearle, of Chicago, is in the city visiting old friends.

S. K. Shaffer, who has been ill several weeks, is reported in a dangerous condition to-day.

Senator Rogers and James Millikin are at Springfield to-day on Home business.

Dr. Clark, C. M. Durfee and Fred Smith came home from Springfield last evening.

Col. E. W. Anderson is now at Pana, doing the local and editorial work on the *Palladium.*

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. D. Randolph and Miss Annie Brower left for St. Louis this morning to see the Exposition.

Mrs. Katie DeBolt left for St. Louis this morning, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Lillie Robertson, of Beverly.

N. M. Baker brought in a lot of ripe persimmons this morning and left them at Heilman's store. They sold quickly.

A. E. Kinney was at St. Louis yesterday, attending the convention of the National Street Car Superintendents' Association.

Ed. Haines, the Front street barber, is at Bloomington attending the Ex-Prisoners of War Association. Ed. was a member of the First Kentucky Regiment and was a prisoner at Libby nine months.

Mrs. I. N. Coltrin, Miss Ida Coltrin, the Misses Gertrude and Isadore Lanham, and Mr. and Mrs. John Archer, were among the excursionists to St. Louis this morning.

News Around Home.

It is stated that the Cerro Gordo *News* has collapsed.

Efforts are being made to bore an artesian well at Monticello for fire protection with a prospect of striking coal. A hole 600 to 800 feet deep could be sunk probably for $3,000.

Champaign *Gazette:* Don't put too much confidence in strangers. One of our citizens lost $1,500 last week by putting confidence in a man whom he didn't know nor ever saw before. If a man will keep his wits, and remain away from strangers who approach him with a scheme to make a lot of money with a little investment on his part, he will be better off for it financially and otherwise. Tell such fellows to pass along and attend to their own business.

LADIES, it will pay you to call on Mrs. K. Einstein and take a stroll through her large millinery bazar. All the latest novelties in the way of ladies' hat wear that can be got in New York or Chicago you will find there. She has three accomplished trimmers, and guarantees you the latest styles. The Women's Exchange occupies the same room, 250 Water street, Masonic Block. Oct 22-dtf

THE Best Goods for the Least Money, at LINN & SCRUGGS.

The Chicago Grain Market.

The following were the closing quotations in Chicago at noon to-day:

Wheat—85¼ Oct; 85⅝ Nov; 87¼ Dec; 95 May.
Corn—40⅞ Oct; 39¼ Nov.; —— Dec.; 38 May.
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Last Excursion to Iowa and Nebraska.

The Illinois Central Railroad will run an Excursion to Storm Lake, Cherokee and Le Mars, Iowa, and Wayne, Pender and Hartington, Nebraska, leaving Decatur at 7:40 a. m., November 10th, 1885. This will positively be the last excursion of the season to points in the Northwest. Applications for Sleeping Car Accommodations must be made to the undersigned at Manchester, Iowa, on or before November 5th.
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THE SOLDIERS' HOME.

Chat About the Commissioners, but Nothing as to the Outcome.

No Choice To-Day.

[Special to the REPUBLICAN.]

SPRINGFIELD, Oct. 22.—The Commissioners met this forenoon at the Leland Hotel. They took a number of ballots, but no city had a majority of the seven votes, and the gentlemen adjourned to meet at 2:30 p. m. No immediate prospect of an agreement. Looks like a dead-lock.

A telegram from Springfield concerning the Home, under date of the 21st, goes on to say: "The Soldiers' Home Commission resumed their labor of locating the Home to-day. A number of ballots were taken at their two sittings, with no material change in the phase of their respective positions. They observe the rule of reticence respecting their work as closely as ever. A large number of persons are here from Decatur, Dixon, Bloomington, Rock Island, Alton and Peoria. The feeling of rivalry runs pretty high, and to a casual observer it would seem that the actual fight is on the outside. That which seems to most worry the visiting delegates is the impossibility of doing any log-rolling, or to form any sort of combination. It need not be a cause of surprise that the commission are so long in deciding the question, when one considers the fact that each of the Commissioners represents an interested constituency which stands behind him and holds him responsible, in no small degree, for his failure, in the end, to secure the Home at a certain point. It would seem that the question of locality is paramount to that of the home in the true sense, that it is intended more for the benefit of some certain community than it is for the comfort of the soldier. These commissioners occupy a very embarrassing position and their task is a delicate one. When the commission that located the asylum at Anna, Ill., were settling the problem before them, they balloted for three weeks before a conclusion was reached. They were paid for their labor at $10 per day. This soldiers' home commission get no pay for their services, and they will be the recipients of a storm of mingled thanks and opprobrium when their task is ended, wherever they may locate the home. Some of the eager volunteer delegates from around the fringe of the state, beyond the reach of the center of population, declare that the Illinois Central railroad is making a fight to have it located at some point along the line of their road, and these accusers point to the strong delegations from Dixon, Bloomington and Decatur in proof of their assertion."

The Drama.

The beautiful and thrilling story of true friendship and love, as told in the play of "Damon and Pythias," was presented before a large and enthusiastic audience at the opera house last evening by Mr. Frederick Warde, supported by a fine dramatic company. The entertainment was under the auspices of Cœur de Leon Lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythias and it was in every respect a success. Mr. Warde, who assumed his famously good character of *Damon*, received an ovation, being twice called before the curtain. The story of the play is so familiar to play goers that it need not be related. It was given in a splendid manner throughout, showing several sets of special scenery, the costuming being appropriate. Mr. Warde never appeared to a better advantage. He has made the part of *Damon* a life study and his equal in the character does not exist. The climax was reached in the last act when his acting was truly grand and perfect. He was supported by Mr. Henry Aveling as *Pythias*, Miss Mittens as *Calanthe*, Miss Worth as *Hermion*, Mr. Sutton as *Dionysius*, Mr. Garrick as *Lucullus*, and other fine actors. Mr. Warde is to-day worthy of the place on the dramatic stage lately occupied by John McCullough.

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Polo, on Skates.

At the rink to-night there will be a game of polo. Good music.

The Decatur Lecture Course.

Programme of the grand harp concert, to be given by the Chatterton-Bohrer Concert Company, at the opera house, Thursday evening, October 22d:

PROGRAMME.

PART I.

1. Grand Valse de Concert (piano)............ *F. G. Richmond*
Mr. Frederick George Richmond.
2. Air with variations, "The Flower of the Alps"............ *Wekerlin*
Miss Ettie Butler.
3. Harp Solo, "The Fairies' Dance,"............ *Parish Alvars*
Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer.
4. English Song, "Tell Me, My Heart,"............ *Sir Henry Bishop*
Miss Ettie Butler (Harp obligato Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer).
5. Violin Solo, "Legende,"............ *Wieniawski*
Herr Adolph Rosenbecker.

PART II.

1. Piano Fantasia, "America," *F. G. Richmond*
Mr. Fred'k Geo. Richmond.
2. Homage to St. Cecile (violin, harp and organ)............ *C. Gounod*
Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer, Messrs. Rosenbecker and Richmond.
3. Ballad............
Miss Ettie Butler.
4. Harp Fantasia, "Erin," on Moore's Irish Melodies "The Harp that once thro' Tara's Halls," and "The Last Rose of Summer." In this solo some enharmonic and unison effects are introduced peculiar to this instrument and possible to the harp only by............ *Frederick Chatterton*
Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer.
5. Ensemble Finale, "Serenade," (harp, violin and organ)............ *Ch. Widor*
Mme. Chatterton-Bohrer, Messrs. Rosenbecker and Richmond.

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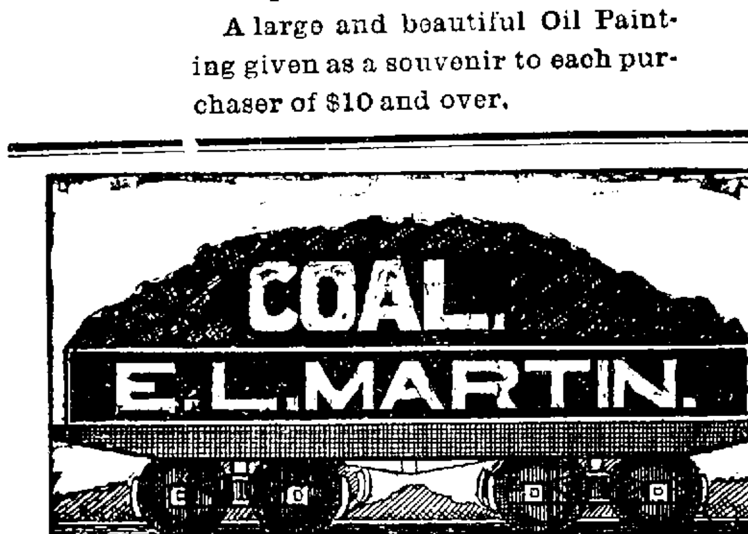

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TERMS OF SALE.—Fifteen per cent of the purchase price cash in hand, balance in two equal payments due in nine and eighteen months from day of sale, purchaser to give his notes with personal security and a mortgage upon the premises sold; deferred payments to draw seven per cent interest from date. The option is given purchaser to pay all cash at the time of sale. Provided, however, that no bid will be received less than four hundred dollars.

KATE FAIRCHILD,
Guardian of Mary C. Hunt and Henrietta Hunt, minors, heirs of James Hunt, deceased.

By H. P. BLACKBURN, Att'y, Danville, Ill. Oct. 3-c3w

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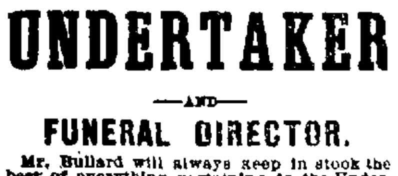

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NOTICE.

To Whom it May Concern:

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S. S. McKAY.
Oct. 16-d2w

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—"Now, who will give us a horse?" writes the editor of the Pioneer (Fla.) *Eagle* in an eloquent leader, acknowledging the receipt from a few admiring friends of a cow and calf.

—Among the "curiosities of commerce," none perhaps is more curious than that the major portion of the produce exported from South Africa is simply used for the adornment of ladies.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—"You hear," says the talkative millionaire milliner, M. Worth, "of dresses that cost fifteen hundred to two thousand dollars. I venture to say that not four dressmakers in Paris ever made any at such prices."

—Of the one hundred and thirty-seven ports of entry and delivery in this country, twenty-five do not return into the treasury one dollar of revenue and at thirty-five of them the receipts do not equal the expenses.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—When Nicholas Leblanc asked for bread Paris gave him neither that nor a stone, and he died of want. Eighty years after his death Paris gives him the stone—a monument to the great inventor, whose services to the world are thus recognized at last.

—Gold table services are very rare, especially in this country. Mrs. Catherine Astor possesses one, and others are said to own them, but for obvious reasons are unwilling to have the fact widely known. Such a service costs at least sixteen thousand dollars.—*N. Y. Sun.*

—A lady from New York who was on board the steamer Ticonderoga, on Lake George, at the time of the recent accident was so agitated that she rushed up to the Captain, and, throwing her arms around his neck, pathetically asked him if there was a telephone on board.—*Glens Falls Times.*

—There is actual proof that wood can be charred by steam pipes, and by the slow but long-continued action of moderately-heated steam. Charcoal thus formed is said to be liable to absorb oxygen suddenly, and break out into spontaneous combustion. It is wisdom to have an eye upon the surroundings of the steam register.—*Philadelphia Press.*

—It seems from the reports which are constantly being received that this solid ground on which we live is but a crust of mineral matter inclosing a stupendous volume of gas. The natural gas which is being so extensively and practically used in parts of Pennsylvania is no longer considered a wonder, for gas is being "struck" in all parts of the country.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—An outdoor "Carnival of Literature" was recently held in one of the Southern States. Those who attended were expected to come dressed to represent some standard book or department of literature. During the evening a tramp shuffled into the gayly-dressed assemblage, and when an attempt was made to bustle him out, he vigorously resisted, declaring that he represented a "Summer Idle." He was allowed to stay.—*Chicago Journal.*

—The total energy stored up in gunpowder is about three hundred and forty thousand kilogrammemetres per kilogramme of powder, or, in English measure, a little under five hundred foot-tons per pound of powder. The potential energy of one pound of gunpowder is as nearly as possible one-tenth of that of one pound of coal, and one-fortieth of that of one pound of hydrogen. It is not even equal to the energy stored up in the carbon which forms one of its own constituents.

—A gentleman stopping at the Kilkenny Hotel, Tramore, Ireland, got out of bed between two and three o'clock the other morning while in a state of somnambulism, and lighted a candle, after which he opened and dropped out of the window of his room into the road, falling some eighteen feet. After standing for a couple of minutes as if stunned, he proceeded to the police station of the town, and demanded admittance. It is stated that he was greatly embarrassed when restored to consciousness.

—When Vestryman Green bowed his head to read the responses of the litany last Sunday he was very drowsy indeed, and he had repeated "Lord have mercy upon us miserable sinners" but three times when he fell asleep. His wife nudged him with her parasol without success. When the preacher reached, "And now seventeenthly, my beloved brethren," Vestryman Green awoke, and being unconscious of the lapse of time responded in a sonorous and fervent voice: "Lord have mercy upon us miserable sinners."—*N. Y. Times.*

—Of course, on such a bright morning she couldn't resist calling around to see how many of her friends had returned from vacation. "Why, Cicely, dear," she exclaimed, "so you, too, have returned?" "Ye-es, I—I—that is, I haven't been away." "But you have a beautiful tan on your complexion." "Oh, yes. That cost me twenty-five cents, while a vacation would have cost a hundred and twenty-five dollars. I'll have a new cloak this fall, and you'll have to fix up your old one." It was cool enough to put the cloaks on immediately.—*Hartford Post.*

—The laughing plant of China is so called because its seeds produce effects like those produced by laughing gas. The flowers are of a bright yellow, and the seed pods are soft and woolly, while the seeds resemble small black beans, and only two or three grow in a pod. The natives (Chinese) dry and pulverize them, and the powder, if taken in small doses, makes the soberest person behave like a circus clown or a madman, for he will dance, sing and laugh most boisterously and cut the most fantastic capers, and be in an uproariously ridiculously condition for about an hour. When the excitement ceases the exhausted exhibitor of these antics falls asleep, and when he awakes he has not the slightest remembrance of his frisky doings.—*Boston Journal.*

THERE is considerable feeling in Louisiana over a sweeping change in the text books in the public schools throughout the state ordered by the Governor of the state, Lieutenant-Governor, Attorney-General, and State Superintendent of Education. A few weeks since the supplying of school books was given to a prominent Eastern school book publishing house, which is now endeavoring to reap the fruit of its bargain. The New Orleans City School Board met to consider the matter, having been requested by the State Superintendent to order a change of the books now used, except the geographies. The change was ordered, and it will cost the parents who send children to school between $100,000 and $200,000.

THROW away the crutches and lay the cane aside. There has been found a sovereign cure for inflammatory rheumatism. It is Mishler's Herb Bitters. Walter Manly, of Freeport, N. H., writes: "Within the last few weeks I have suffered from a violent attack which confined me to my bed for five days. After having so far recovered by the use of my old remedy as to move about on crutches, I was induced to give your Bitters a trial. In a few days the swelling disappeared, and I was able to walk without the aid of crutch or cane."

PHILADELPHIA girls are learning to perform on a fiddle. Poor things! It's their only way to draw a bow.

"Right Peart!"

"I was right peart until the rheumatiz sot in," said a suffering old man who lived near the swamp. Fact is, wherever you live you can't be "right peart" if you are a victim of this troublesome disease. Capt. C. W. Hotsenpiller, Springfield, O., says, "I found great relief from inflammatory rheumatism by using Brown's Iron Bitters." Thousands of other people have found similar relief.

ADAM and Eve were the only people who never bewailed the successful days of their ancestors.

HAVE used Tongaline in a case of facial neuralgia, with excellent results.
M. D. Hill, M. D., Steubenville, O.

THE latest theory in veterinary science is that shying in horses is in most cases caused by nearsightedness.

Dr. Chapman's King of Oils

Cures nasal catarrh, diphtheria, colds, and all affections of the throat, lungs and kidneys, rheumatism, sprains, bruises, burns, old sores, the wind colic in horses. Give it a trial—only 25 cents. Prepared only by Dr. H. C. Chapman & Son, Taylorville, Ill. Sold in Decatur by Dr. A. J. Stoner and W. C. Armstrong.
July 4-dawlyr

FIRE alarm boxes have been placed in the public schools of New York City.

Nervous Debilitated Men,

You are allowed *a free trial of thirty days* of the use of Dr. Dye's Celebrated Voltaic Belt with Suspensory Appliances, for the speedy relief and permanent cure of Nervous Debility, loss of Vitality and Manhood, and all kindred troubles. Also for many other diseases. Complete restoration to health, vigor and manhood guaranteed. No risk is incurred. Illustrated pamphlet, with full information, terms, etc., mailed free by addressing Voltaic Belt Co., Marshall, Mich.
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IN Leigh, England, 1,700 people support themselves catching shrimps.

What Parents Fear.

Many persons—especially parents—object to many quack nostrums as likely to engender or encourage a love for strong drink. They are right. Better die of disease than of drunkenness. The use of Parker's Tonic does not involve this danger. It not only builds up the system, curing all ailments of the stomach, liver and kidneys, but it stimulates without intoxicating and absolutely cures the appetite for liquor. 1-deod&w4w

The famous Carpenter's Hall in Philadelphia was built 115 years ago.

I HAVE been afflicted with catarrh for 20 years. It has become chronic, and there was a constant dropping of mucous matter from the roof of my mouth. It extended to my throat, causing hoarseness and great difficulty in speaking, indeed for years I was not able to speak more than thirty minutes, and often this with great difficulty. I also, to a great extent, lost the sense of hearing in the left ear, and of taste. By the use of Ely's Cream Balm all dropping of mucus has ceased and my voice and hearing have greatly improved.—Jas. W. Davidson, Attorney at Law, Monmouth, Ill.
oct15-deod&w2w

NO LESS than 18,061 young women are at college in this country.

WE have just received a large line of Stetson Hats in all the latest and nobby styles; and also a fine line of nobby neck wear in all the extreme and stylish shapes. The largest and most complete line of Furnishing Goods in Decatur is always found at the White Front. oct14-d&wtf

THE best on earth, can truly be said of Griggs' Glycerine Salve, which is a sure, safe and speedy cure for cuts, bruises, scalds, burns, wounds and all other sores. Will positively cure piles, tetter and all skin eruptions. Try this wonder healer. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Only 25 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. dec8-ly

FOR a nice suit of clothes cheap, call at Cheap Charley's. d&w

Lustra Paints.

You will find the Lustra Paints and Tools at Myer & Son's Art Store, cheaper than any other place in the city. 14 dtf

FREEMAN BROS. keep on hand all goods they advertise. sept24 d1mo

Hammered Brass.

You can find all the Tools, Brass and Designs at Myer & Son's Art Store.
sept14-dtf

WE keep sixty shades and colors of Lustra Paint. Myer & Son. sept14-dtf

BEST 25 cent dinner in the city at KREBS' lunch room, 145 East Prairie St. Oct. 22—dtf

Better.

Better go to L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s for School Shoes every time. 4-d&wtf

Sensational

The handsome Styles, good qualities and low prices of Shoes at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s. sept15-d&wtf

SECOND-HAND, shelf-worn, and new books can be found in Tyler's place—one door west of postoffice. 3 dtf

High School

Students in the 1st, 2d, 3d and 4th years are requested to call at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s and buy their fall and winter Shoes.
sept15-d&wtf

FOR fine and well-made clothing at prices that sell, try the White Front. He will not only beautify your person, but also your homes. Prices guaranteed lower than all others. John Irwin's White Front. oct14-d&wtf

News About Town.

It is the current report about town that Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs is making some remarkable cures with people who are troubled with Coughs, Asthma, Bronchitis, and Consumption. Dr. A. J. Stoner, druggist, No. 14 south side new square, will give any person a *trial bottle free of cost.* It is guaranteed to relieve and cure. Price 50 cents and $1.00. b4

A RECENT cyclone in India destroyed 500 villages and 10,000 lives.

THE habitual use of pills is a sure means of ultimately undermining health and laying the foundation for some of the most distressing cases of chronic maladies. Use Dr. Jones' Red Clover Tonic, a purely vegetable remedy, which tones and regulates the system, enriching the blood. It cures all diseases of the stomach, liver, blood and kidneys. Can be taken by the most delicate. 50 cents. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 2

A SILVER windpipe and larynx enable a cancer patient in Buffalo to talk.

TIME tried and true is Dr. Bigelow's Positive Cure, which combines the good qualities of all the best cough remedies, without the defects of any of them. It cures promptly and permanently coughs, colds, croup, whooping cough, influenza, bronchitis, hoarseness, incipient consumption, and all throat and lung diseases, healing the lungs. Safe and pleasant for children. Price, 50 cents and $1. Trial bottles free. Sold by Dr. A. J. Stoner. 2

Woman's Relief Corps Entertainments.

The ladies are meeting with very good success in the sale of seats for their series of entertainments, especially the choice ones. R. F. Taylor, the well-known lecturer, will be here this month. Prof. R. L. Cumnock, who stands at the head of his profession as a public reader, appears in November, and Archduke Joseph's Hungarian Gypsy Band, under the leadership of the celebrated Gypsy violinist, Farencz Oarsy, closing the series with one of their soul-inspiring entertainments, about the middle of December. Tickets only $1.50 and $1.25 for the series, the Gypsy Band alone being well worth $1. Everybody should secure tickets, as it is a rare chance to see and hear such distinguished talent. The ladies will call on you if the weather is favorable for canvassing, but remember that tickets can be secured at Curtis & Co.'s, George S. Durfee & Bro.'s, and Dr. J. M. Blythe's dental rooms. An opportunity will be given to secure reserved seats three days before each entertainment, of which due notice will be given.
Oct 4-dtf

Cigar Makers' Ball.

The Cigar Makers' Union No. 20, will give their sixth anniversary ball on Tuesday evening, Oct. 27th, at Guards' Armory. There will be no special invitations. All well-disposed persons are cordially invited. No improper characters will be admitted. Oct 13-dtd

WE have just received the largest and finest line of Boys' and Children's Overcoats ever displayed on the counters of any clothing house in the city of Decatur, and can convince all parents that for fine and nobby goods, and at prices that sell you can find just what you want at the White Front. Call and see for yourselves and we will satisfy you that what we claim, we do. Oct 14-d&wtf

Cheap Charley's Art Emporium.

Not chromos, but genuine oil paintings, worth from $5.00 to $10.00, and framed in gilt frames, will be given away with each and every suit of men's clothing purchased from Cheap Charley, on and after Thursday, Oct. 1st. He was only able to get a limited quantity of these art treasures, and he invites his friends to call early and secure an ornament to their parlors. 30-d&wtf

A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N are all the widths we have in Shoes now, but we have more coming. Come and see us at once. L. L. FERRISS & Co.
sept4-d&wtf

Removal.

John W. Tyler, jr., the harness dealer, has removed his store to his new location on East Prairie street. He has a fine display of new harness, saddles, etc., and invites the citizens and farmers to give him a call. June25-d&wtf

FEATHERS warranted to be prime live geese at 65c to 75c per lb at J. G. Starr & Son's. oct8-wtf

CHEAP CHARLEY leads, he never follows. d&w

CHEAP CHARLEY'S Oil Paintings, size 22 by 36. d&wtf

IF you want the best wagon, buy the old reliable Peter Schuttler, at Spencer, Lehman & Co.'s. This wagon is no doubtful experiment, but it has been the monarch of the road for 40 years.
Sept. 8-d&w6w

WATCH for the grand reopening of the Fine Art Exhibit. oct14-d&wtf

FREEMAN BROS. have exclusive sale of the best lines of Men's Women's and Children's Shoes. sept24 d1mo

Busher & Hutchin's $3.00 Fine Shoe is the best. 20-dtf

From Pole to Pole

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA has demonstrated its power of cure for all diseases of the blood.

The Harpooner's Story.

New Bedford, June 1, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & CO.—Twenty years ago I was a harpooner in the North Pacific, when five others of the crew and myself were laid up with scurvy. Our bodies were bloated, gums swollen and bleeding, teeth loose, purple blotches all over us, and our breath seemed rotten. Take it by and large we were pretty badly off. All our lime-juice was accidentally destroyed, but the captain had a couple dozen bottles of AYER'S SARSAPARILLA and gave us that. We recovered on it quicker than I have ever seen men brought about by any other treatment for Scurvy, and I've seen a good deal of it. Seeing no mention in your Almanac of your Sarsaparilla being good for scurvy, I thought you ought to know of this, and so send you the facts.

Respectfully yours, RALPH V. WINGATE.

The Trooper's Experience.

Masern, Basutoland (S. Africa), March 7, 1883.

DR. J. C. AYER & CO.—Gentlemen: I have much pleasure to testify to the great value of your Sarsaparilla. We have been stationed here for over two years, during which time we had to live in tents. Being under canvas for such a time brought on what is called in this country "veldt-sores." I had these sores for some time. I was advised to take your Sarsaparilla, two bottles of which made my sores disappear rapidly, and I am now quite well.

Yours truly, T. E. BODEN,
Trooper, Cape Mounted Riflemen.

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

Is the only thoroughly effective blood-purifier, the only medicine that eradicates the poisons of Scrofula, Mercury, and Contagious Disease from the system.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
Sold by all Druggists: Price $1; Six bottles for $5.

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253 EAST MAIN STREET,

Keep a full line of

HARDWARE,

STOVES,

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CHEAP!

Galvanized Iron Cornices,

Tin Roofing and Jobbing

A SPECIALTY.

Oct. 1—d3m.

You can get the best $3.00 Shoe in Button, Lace and Congress, at Barber & Baker's. You can get the best tipped School Shoes for children, cheap, at Barber & Baker's. You can get Ladies' Kid Toe Slippers for 50c, all sizes, at Barber & Baker's. You can get Ladies' Kid, Hand-turned Shoes, cheap, at Barber & Baker's. You can get anything you want in the Shoe line, very cheap, at Barber & Baker's. sept8-d&wtf

THE "Peninsular Oak" is made this year with a square base and a large ash-pan, and is by far the handsomest stove of this character ever made. We have it both in cast and boiler iron drum.
MOREHOUSE, WELLS & Co.

FINE style straight cut coats at Cheap Charley's. Call and examine. a17dtf

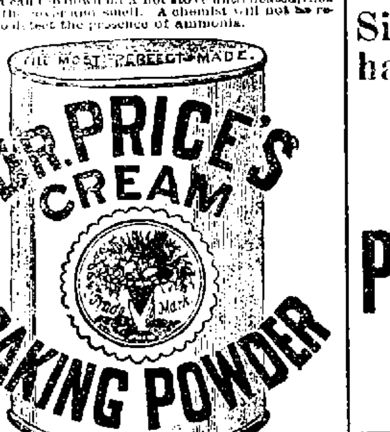
CHEAP CHARLEY has received another lot of his fine Oil Paintings. Size 36 by 40. Free exhibition. d&w

TEST YOUR BAKING POWDER TO-DAY!

Brands advertised as absolutely pure CONTAIN AMMONIA.

THE TEST:

Place a can top down on a hot stove until heated, then remove the cover and smell. A chemist will not be required to detect the presence of ammonia.



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The strongest, most delicious and natural flavor known, and
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WANTED, LOST, FOUND, &c.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

FLOWER POTS—All sizes, very low prices, at LIDDLE'S. oct22-dtf

FOR RENT—House of four rooms, outside kitchen, well, cistern, &c. Inquire of F. W. NIEDERMEYER, on the mound. 22 d6

WANTED—Ladies to learn to make Crystal Pictures. Call on or address MRS. M. C. BARNEY, 537 East North St. 21-d1w*

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP—A house of three rooms on E. Herkimer street. Call at No. 151 South Water St., Decatur, Ill.
20-d1w* B. McGORRAY.

FOUND—The person who lost money on Mason St. can recover the same by calling at this office and describing it. oct20-do

P. R. HUNT holds a mortgage note on 40 acres of land, 5 miles from Springfield, Ill., which covers about the value of the land. He wants to trade it for good city property in Decatur; will pay the difference in cash if any. An industrious man could make a good living on the place; it has a small house, is fenced, and most of it is in cultivation. For further information apply at 591, corner Franklin and Wood streets, Decatur, Ill. 20-d1w*

A. O. U. W.—All persons who are members of or are interested in the above order, please send name and address to C. M. Lytle, 227 Morgan street. 19-3t*

ORGANS FOR SALE OR RENT—I have a large lot of second-hand organs, many of them good as new, for sale or rent cheap. Come at once if you want bargains. Among the number are many standard makes.
oct19-d3w S. M. LUTZ.

FOR RENT—Furnished room for two ladies or two gentlemen. Apply at this office.
Oct17-d6*

LOST—At the late Hospital fair, a white celluloid-handled carving knife; also a bread knife with square end and black handle. Anyone having the knives will please return the same to this office. 16d4

REMOVAL.—Dr. J. M. Blythe has removed his dental office from 153 North Water st. to rooms over "The Fair," 159 East Main st., second floor. Oct 2-1m*

REAL ESTATE, city property and farms for sale by RANDOLPH & GIBBS, No. 123 N. Water street. A larger list than ever before to select from; cheap lots and desirable ones. Also several houses for rent. oct2-d1mo

NEW YORK DRESS MAKER—Mrs. J. A. Wilbur, recently of New York, has opened dress making rooms at No. 247 East Main St., over the new furniture store, soliciting a fair patronage by the ladies of Decatur and vicinity. Fitting and draping a specialty. e30-dtf

A COLD WAVE IS COMING—So prepare to get your beds ready for winter. J. S. Cox & Co. keep all kinds of Bedding at their Mattress Factory, 153 North Broadway, consisting of Hair, Moss, Palm Leaf, Husk, Wool, Cotton, Feathers, Excelsior, straw, etc. Old mattresses worked over and made good as new. We also renovate feathers by a patent steam process. This work should not be neglected as disease lurks in old beds. The patent steam process of cleaning by its great heat eradicates all disease germs and leaves the feathers sweet, clean, odorless and moth proof.
J. S. COX & CO.

Telephone your orders to Stephens Bros.' grocery store. Sept. 26-dtf

FOR SALE—A good-paying restaurant, favorably located. The owner desires to engage in another business. Enquire at this office. 21d1m

WANTED.—Ladies and Gentlemen to work for us at their own homes; no canvassing; $7 to $15 weekly. Work sent by mail any distance. We have good demand for our work and furnish steady employment. Address at once RELIABLE M'F'G Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Box 1593. 21d&w1mo

A BIG OFFER. To introduce them, we will give away 1,000 Self-Operating Washing Machines. If you want one, send us your name, P. O., and express office at once. THE NATIONAL CO., 27 Dey street, N. Y. sept11-d&w1m

WANTED—An active Man or Woman in every county to sell our goods. Salary $75 per month and expenses, or commission. Expenses in advance. Outfit free. For full particulars address, STANDARD SILVER WARE CO., BOSTON, MASS. sept. 9-d&w1m

AGENTS, LADIES and GENTLEMEN.—Wanted now agents for Sternberger's Folding Dress Pillows; an indestructible sham pillow that folds up in one-twentieth of its size; guaranteed to outwear a dozen stuffed pillows, can be placed under the bolster or anywhere out of the way when the bed is occupied; good canvassers make from $4.00 to $8.00 a day. From its novel and peculiar construction the pillow commands attention and housekeepers invariably buy; over 65,000 sold since Feb. 1st. Acknowledged to be the fastest selling household article known. Retail $2.00 per pair. Address, THE PIQUA M'F'G CO., Piqua, Ohio.
Oct. 12-d&w1m

BARGAINS IN FARMS—I have four farms near Decatur for sale, very low. One of them very suitable for large dairy. Call and see same. JOHN A. BROWN,
aug26 d&wtf Court House Block.

MONEY to loan in large and small amounts. Loans made on live stock, farm implements, or household goods. All classes of loans negotiated on short notice. Farm loans at 7 per cent. interest. Apply to A. T. SUMMERS, over New York Store.
July 16-d&wtf

WANTED—Light and graceful employment furnished Ladies and Misses all the year round at their homes. Work so simple that a child can learn it. Long established. Patterns and full particulars sent for 10 cents, including certificates from lady workers and many endorsements of the Press. Call or address, INDUSTRIAL ART EXCHANGE, 103 14th St., corner 6 Ave., New York. sept28-d&w1m

WANTED—Men, women, boys and girls; can have work at your own home in a new business where no peddling is required; from $1 to $10 a day can be made; 12 samples that will do to commence work on sent free. Inclose six 2-cent stamps for postage and advertising and address HUNT & CO., W. Acton, Mass. sept28-d&w1mo

NOTICE.—I am prepared to thoroughly repair, black and put up parlor and kitchen stoves. J. H. ROSELL, 625 East Wood street.
aug 25—dtf

TO RENT—Two swell front houses, located on East North street. For particulars inquire of WALTER DELAHUNTY, at 912 East North street. aug19-dtf

GEO. HUNSLEY has a dray line to do all kinds of work at living prices, and a picnic hack, the most easy riding in the city; low prices—he will not be underbid. June26-dtf

WANTED—Everybody to know that Bachman Bros. will buy or trade for your old style furniture in exchange for new. Call and see them. m17d-tf

THIS WEEK

We are showing Special Bargains in Children's, Ladies' and Gentlemen's Woolen and Merino Hosiery and Underwear. Magnificent line of

Cloaks, Newmarkets, Wraps and Circulars,

In Cloths, Silks, Velvet Brocades and Plushes. Dress Goods, Dress Trimmings, Silks, Plushes and Brocade Velvets, in handsome new designs, at

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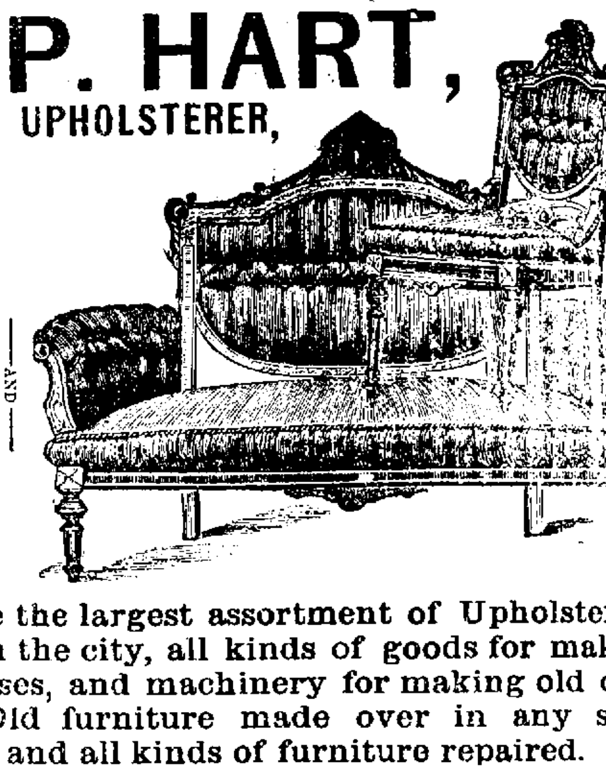
AWNING MAKER,

249 North Main St.



I have the largest assortment of Upholstering goods in the city, all kinds of goods for making mattresses, and machinery for making old ones over. Old furniture made over in any style desired, and all kinds of furniture repaired.

THE BLUE GRASS

CARRIAGE SHOP,

West William St., Half a Square from Main.

We are comparably strangers in a new location, but a bran new shop, with facilities to construct anything on wheels from a wheelbarrow to a carriage. And while we make a specialty of jobs to order, will confine ourselves for the present to repairing, general blacksmith and wood work, trimming, painting, and overhauling old work. We are not agents for any shyster or machine work. Mr. Gregor is an experienced shoer, having years of practice in this most important line in the cities of Chicago and Dubuque, Iowa. We will convince you that a horse shoer is born, not made, if you will take the trouble to call just once. We came to this section to remain in spite of high water and hard times, and being unknown have nothing more to commend our claims to you for patronage than our knowledge of mechanism, and we trust an appreciative and indulgent public. We have ample room for farmers' teams and rigs while in the city, and will make it to their especial interest to call on us for anything in our line. With a guarantee of our work, or money refunded, and a solemn promise of our prices being in accordance with the times and not with custom, we ask you to look for the big sign of the Blue Grass Carriage Shop, and if you mean business come once, and we have no fears that our magnetism will not draw you thereafter.

J. R. McLEAN.
J. H. GREGOR.

Oct. 22—d&w1m

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—AND—

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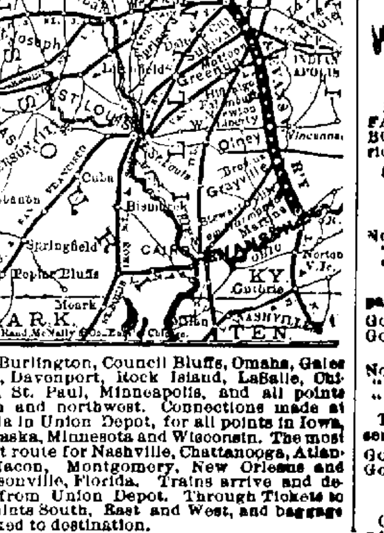

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NORTHWEST.

No. 1.	Mail	3:05 p m
" 5.	Express	4:10 a m
" 3.	Mixed	6:40 a m
" 13.	Freight	10:20 a m

SOUTHEAST.

No. 2.	Mail	10:42 a m
" 6.	Express	10:40 p m
" 4.	Mixed	10:05 p m
" 14.	Freight	1:55 p m

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No. 2.	Mail	11:55 a m
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" 12.	Freight	5:30 a m
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ARRIVE FROM EAST.

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" 3.	Express	4:00 a m
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No. 43,	Fast Line	4:15 a. m
" 45,		3:40 p. m
" 57,	Jacksonville Accommodation	6:45 a. m

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No. 3,	St. Louis Express	3:56 a. m
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GOING WEST.

No. 3,	St. Louis Express	4:06 a. m
" 43,	Fast Line	2:36 a. m
" 5,	Fast Mail	3:30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM ST. LOUIS.

No. 2,	Chicago Express	12:05 a. m
" 4,	Atlantic Express	11:59 p. m
" 42,	Lightning Express	10:30 p. m

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Going West	5:45 a. m
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